(b) if so, whether some foreign countries have provided aid to Government of Uttar Pradesh in this regard; and

(c) if so, the derails thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN AFFAIRS & EMPLOYMENT (SHRI P. K. THUNGON): (a) to (c) Since the year 1979-80, a Centrally Sponsored Scheme of Integrated Development of Small and Medium Towns (IDSMT) is in operation in States and Union Territories including the State of Uttar Pradesh. From 1979-80 till date 62 towns of Uttar Pradesh have been covered under IDSMT and Central Assistance of Rs. 18.45 crores released. So far during the Eighth Plan period (1992—97), biased on projects proposals submitted by the Government of Uttar Pradesh, the following 10 towns have been covered under IDSMT and Central Assistance (first instalment) as per details given below released to the State Government:

Name of the Town	Rs. in Lakhs
Pilakhua	40.00
Thana Bahavan	16.00
Kotdwar	14.00
Kandhala	12.00
Sirsaganj	15.00
Basti	40.00
Ferozabad	33.00
Baraut	36.00
Rampur	35.00
Budhana	15.00
	256.00

The guidelines of IDSMT do not provide for seeking foreign aid.

Allocation of water to Hyderabad City

4999. SHRI T. VENKATRAM REDDY:

SHRI G. PRATHAPA REDDY:

Will the Minister of URBAN AFFAIRS & EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government of Andhra Pradesh has revised the allocation of water of Hyderabad city to 15 TMC as against 5 TMC awarded by the Bachawat Commission;

(b) whether the State Government has again submitted the revised scheme for the approval of World Bank;

(c) if so, when; and

(d) whether the additional allocation is from assured allocation or from the surplus water allowed upto 2000 A.D.?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN AFFAIRS & EMPLOYMENT (SHRI P. K. THUNGON): (a) The Central Government has not received any proposal from the Government of Andhra Pradesh revising the allocation of water to Hyderabad city to 15 TMC.

(b) No, Sir.

(c) and (d) Do not arise.